

LOCAL BRIEFS

Rev. Charles Cross, a former resident of Oregon City, but now a pastor of the Methodist church of Springfield, is in Oregon City, where he is visiting his brothers, Frank Cross, of Oregon City, and H. E. Cross, of Gladstone. Rev. Cross' son, C. B. Cross, who enlisted and was for some time in the training camp at Camp Greene, Charleston, but later returning to his home, owing to illness, has recovered. For several weeks his condition was critical, and little hopes were entertained for his recovery, heart failure having developed while in camp.

J. G. Connell, one of the berry growers of Willamette, has brought berries to the local market during the past few days that are attracting no little attention. These are the Mammoth variety, some of which measure from two to two and one-half inches in length, while the circumference average two and one-half inches. Mr. Connell has found a ready market for these berries, which resemble the Lawton berry but of a larger size and more delicious.

Mrs. E. P. Carter, who has been spending the winter at her home at Gladstone, left Wednesday morning for Bar View, where she will remain during the summer. Mr. and Mrs. Carter own a large number of cottages and apartments at that resort. Mrs. Carter was accompanied to her summer home by her sister, Mrs. Retta Hathaway, of Los Angeles, who is spending the summer in Oregon and she is accompanied by her daughter, Mary.

Elmer Lloyd Terrill, night editor of the Medford Sun, arrived in Oregon City Thursday evening, where he will visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Terrill, until Monday evening. Terrill was formerly connected with the Enterprise. He is much impressed with Southern Oregon, but says the dry weather there has damaged the fruit crop considerably. Many of the orchardists are now removing their fruit trees and are planting other products.

Mrs. Fred Hogg, Sr., who has been in California, where she has been visiting her son, Oscar, who is stationed at the Presidio, San Francisco, has returned to Oregon City. She was accompanied by her son, Fred Hogg, Jr., who also returned to Oregon City. During Mrs. Hogg's absence another son was called, Carl Hogg, who is at Fort McDowell, California. Mrs. Hogg has now three sons in the service, Otto being on his way to France.

Mrs. Agnes Silver, who has been connected with a furniture store in Vancouver, Wash., for some time, was in Oregon City Thursday, making necessary arrangements to move to the Washington city. She returned to that place Thursday evening, and her daughter, Miss Mary Silver, left for Vancouver Friday to make that city her home. They have been occupying the C. T. Toose residence at Thirteenth and Main Street.

P. S. Finnucane is in receipt of a letter from his son, William, received Tuesday, saying that he had arrived safely in San Francisco, and was anxious to take up his duties, but had not been assigned yet. Finnucane left last week to enter the gasoline and engineer corps of the United States navy. With the departure of William Finnucane, P. S. Finnucane has two sons now in the service. Dan is in France with the 162 Infantry.

A picnic party composed of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Calavan and daughter, Miss Alma Calavan, Mr. and Mrs. John Etchison and son, Kenneth, of this city; Mrs. Martha Spear, of Prineville, Oregon; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Knott and daughter, Miss Gertrude, of Portland, had a most enjoyable outing at Gladstone park July 4. Miss Gertrude Knott accompanied Miss Calavan to this city, remaining here until Friday evening.

Bothwell Avison, formerly of this city, and brother of Mrs. C. H. Meisner, of this city, has been commissioned acting assistant paymaster in the army. Avison has the rank of an ensign, and is stationed at Mare Island, California. He is well known here, and graduated from the Oregon City high school, also the University of Oregon with honors. For some time he was stationed in Seattle.

H. Hoffmeister, one of the prosperous farmers of the Boring section, was in Oregon City Wednesday. Mr. Hoffmeister is one of the well known breeders of sheep, and brought to this city some of his wool clip. This was disposed of at the Oregon City Manufacturing Company's plant. The price paid for the same was 58 cents per pound. The entire clip averaged eight pounds to the sheep.

Walter A. Dimick was the orator at Yoder July Fourth. The celebration was a community picnic, and was largely attended. This was held in a picturesque grove, where a patriotic program was given. Songs and declamations constituted the program. The basket lunch was enjoyed beneath the shade of the trees. Mr. Dimick was accompanied by his wife and son, Norman.

Miss Alma Calavan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Calavan, who has been spending the past two months at Prineville, Oregon, was returned to Oregon City. Miss Calavan was the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Martha Spear, who accompanied Miss Calavan to Oregon City, and where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Calavan, and family for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Berkman and little daughter, Barbara, have arrived in Oregon City from Canby, and are to take up their residence in the Toose residence on Thirteenth and Main Street. For the present Mr. and Mrs. Berkman and daughter are at the home of Mrs. Berkman's sister, Mrs. C. G. Miller, of Seventh and Center Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Cross, who have gone to Hebo, Oregon, where they are the guests of the former's brother, El-

mer E. Cross, will remain at that place several weeks longer. Mr. Cross' health is much improved since making the change. The Cross farm at Hebo is located in a most delightful spot, and overlooks the surrounding country.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Brownlee, former residents of Oregon City, but who left for Albany some time ago, and later moved to Portland, where Mr. Brownlee is connected with the Portland Journal, have arrived here where they are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Robey, and attending Chautauqua. Mr. Brownlee will soon leave to join the service.

Dr. and Mrs. L. A. Morris, and Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Huntley and daughter, Miss Mildred, who made the trip by automobile to Cannon Beach, Oregon, have returned to Oregon City. While at that resort they made their headquarters in the Huntley cottage. The trip was a most delightful one, and was made over the Columbia river highway.

Mrs. E. H. Cooper is enjoying an outing at Willhot Springs, and is occupying one of the cottages at that resort. She was joined Monday by Mrs. Robert Goodfellow, who will remain there several weeks. Mr. Cooper accompanied his wife to Willhot several weeks ago returning to Oregon City Monday.

Mrs. Fred Bauer, of New York, who has been visiting with Misses Colla and Bertha Goldsmith, has gone to San Francisco, where she is to visit friends and relatives. She will also visit in other cities of California as well as some of the summer resorts before returning to her home in the East.

Henry O'Malley, who is in charge of the division of fish culture of the United States Bureau of Fisheries, was in Oregon City Wednesday, where he visited friends. Mr. O'Malley was at one time connected with the bureau of fisheries with headquarters in this city and at the hatchery at Clackamas.

Mark Sturges, of Bremerton, Wash., was in Oregon City July 4, where he visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sturges. Mark is with the U. S. Naval Hospital, of Puget Sound. The young man is delighted with the work he has taken up, and looks quite "nobby" in his uniform.

W. A. Long left Monday for Larned, Kansas, where he has been called by the critical illness of his father, Martin Long who is at the point of death. Martin Long underwent a surgical operation a few days ago for gallstones, but it was found that he was suffering from cancer.

Mrs. A. Naterlin will leave this morning for Pillar Rock, Oregon, where she will spend three months visiting her husband and son, Andrew, who are engaged in fishing at that point. Mrs. Naterlin has almost fully recovered from her recent illness.

Mrs. H. L. Kelley and daughter, Miss May Kelly, the latter a teacher in the Portland schools, will leave this evening for Long Beach, Wash., to spend the remainder of the summer at their cottage, one of the most attractive summer homes at that resort.

Miss Eloise Aldredge, of this city, left last night for Astoria where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Charles Bollinger. Miss Aldredge will return to Oregon City later with her cousin, Miss Edith Aldredge, who is now a guest of the Bollingers in Astoria.

Mrs. E. A. Etelher and little daughter, Gwendolyn June, who have been in Oregon City for the past month, guests of Mrs. Steiber's mother and sister, Mrs. Carl Juhnke and Miss Mattie Juhnke, have returned to their home at Bismarck, North Dakota.

W. T. Smith, mailcarrier on Oregon City, Route 3, is enjoying his well earned vacation of two weeks. His place is being substituted by Professor N. W. Bowland, principal of the Eastham school, who seems to be enjoying the outdoor exercise.

Miss Frances Bowland of this city, has accepted a position as general delivery clerk in the postoffice. Miss Bowland will be employed by the local postoffice during the vacation months, when other employees are to take their annual vacation.

Miss Gladys Robey, the domestic science instructor of the McMinnville schools, has arrived in Oregon City. Miss Robey is visiting her brother, C. W. Robey, and family, of Ninth and Washington Street, also attending the Chautauqua assembly.

Mrs. Maggie Johnston, of Milwaukie, was among the Oregon City visitors Wednesday morning. Mrs. Johnston was on her way to New Era, where she attended the meeting of Warner Grange. She is a member of the Milwaukie Grange.

Miss Margaret Pedro, who has been connected with the Edison Company for the past twelve years, and with headquarters for some time at Portland, has accepted a position with Burmeister & Andresen. Miss Pedro has taken up her duties here.

Elmer Lloyd Terrill, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Terrill, near Division Street, returned to Medford Monday morning, where he will resume his position. He is night editor of the Medford Sun.

Miss Esther Little, of Fresno, California, has arrived in Oregon City, where she is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Little, and where she is to spend the summer. She is the niece of the former.

Mrs. C. T. Howard and two grandchildren, of Mulino, were in Oregon City Tuesday. Mrs. Howard will enjoy camp life during the Chautauqua, and was on her way to that place Tuesday.

Salem, returned to Oregon City Tuesday. Today they will go to Mount Tabor, where they are to visit for a few days before leaving for Philadelphia, where they are to make their home.

Mrs. L. E. Jones has gone to the beach, where she will remain for a few days. Mrs. Jones is accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Louis Levinger, of Baker, who has been ill for some time.

Mrs. Herman, who has been in the Oregon City hospital, where she has been undergoing medical treatment, has improved so that she has been able to return to her home near Carus.

W. W. Irvin, of Aurora, was in Oregon City on business Monday. Mr. Irvin was formerly one of the leading breeders of sheep and goats, but has retired from this industry.

Mrs. Gilbert Charters of Courtney, formerly of this city, was the guest of Miss Jessie Faddock, of Gladstone, Sunday. Mrs. Charters was formerly Miss Beesie McMillan.

Frank Whitman, who left Oregon City several weeks ago to visit his old home at Cambridge, Nebraska, is now the guest of his brother, Milo, of that place.

Dr. and Mrs. Neal Zimmerman, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Wells, of Rose City Park, Portland, were in Oregon City Sunday, guests of Dr. and Mrs. Roy Prudden.

W. A. Huntley, who has been ill for some time, and who has been at the Oregon City hospital for several days, will undergo a surgical operation this morning.

There will be a Loyalty League meeting at Mount Pleasant Saturday evening, when George C. Brownell will be the speaker of the evening.

Mrs. Carl Juhnke and Miss Carol Ely will leave Monday morning for Rockaway, where they are to occupy a cottage for several weeks.

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IN SOCIETY CIRCLES

The marriage of Miss Creta M. Clark, of Portland, and Sergeant Edgar Neil Terrill, of Fort Canby, Wash., was solemnized at the home of Mrs. J. L. Haneth, of 65th Street and Sandy Boulevard, Portland, Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The marriage was performed by Rev. E. E. Gilbert, pastor of the Methodist church of this city, in the presence of only relatives and intimate friends of the contracting parties.

Following the impressive marriage ceremony, refreshments were served. The rooms of Mrs. Haneth's home were prettily decorated with cut flowers, and the ceremony was performed beneath a bower of roses and ferns.

The bride was becomingly gowned in pale blue silk, and carried a showery bouquet of pink and white carnations. The young couple were unattended.

Mr. and Mrs. Terrill are to make a brief visit in Portland and in Oregon City with relatives, and will leave Thursday evening for Fort Canby, where Sergeant Terrill is stationed for the present.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clark, who reside near Salma, Southern Oregon, and is an accomplished young woman. The bridegroom is the second son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Terrill. He enlisted about a year ago, and soon after his arrival at the training camp was rapidly promoted. He was first bugler, then corporal and recently promoted to sergeant.

Archibald C. Thompson and Thelma Leona Dundas, of Central Point, Clackamas county, were united in matrimony on the fourth of July at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Beesie Dundas, Rev. Apposlyn, of Canby, officiating. Both groom and bride are well known and popular in that section of the county.

A large number of relatives and friends attended the ceremony and enjoyed the sumptuous wedding dinner. The happy couple will reside on the farm where the groom has lived for years and where the bride was born.

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Ora Howell, of Stone, was in Oregon City Saturday. While here he visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Howell.

Miss Vera Gauffield and brother, Percy Gauffield, spent July 4 at Vancouver, Wash., where they visited relatives.

Barney Sullivan, well known resident of Highland, was in Oregon City Friday, where he transacted business.

E. P. Dedman, of Clackamas, was among those to transact business in Oregon City Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Dalls, of Damascus, were among the Oregon City visitors Friday.

STOLEN AUTO FOUND AT ASHLAND, WHERE THIEVES GOT STUCK

After a weary chase lasting two weeks, W. A. Long, of the Star Theatre is again in possession of his big new Hudson super-car, although the car isn't as new as it has been. About a fortnight ago the machine was stolen from the garage at the Long home at Seventh and Madison streets, and was recovered at Ashland. Mr. Long says he has ample evidence, through the work of detectives, that the notorious Tom Moore is responsible for the theft, and the officers on the case are trailing him and a companion in California, with the determination of apprehending them before they quit the chase. Mr. Long went to Ashland on last Wednesday, where the car had been reported. It was found stuck in a sandy road, and the bandits had deserted! It after finding it was mired. The fenders and top were in rather bad shape, but otherwise the car was in a far better condition than would be expected.

A distance of 596 miles had been covered by the thief, according to the reading of the speedometer. The engine was in good condition, and the tires showed little wear. Mr. Long is being congratulated on all sides over the recovery of his machine, as it looked doubtful for a time whether he would ever see it again or not. On Wednesday, Mr. Long drove the car to Grants Pass, and on the Fourth he came on up to Oregon City.

YOUNGSTERS GUESTS AT BIRTHDAY FETE OF RAY MUELLER

Roy Mueller proved a most delightful little host at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Morgan, of Seventeenth and Van Buren Street, Monday. The occasion was the sixth birthday anniversary. The children had a "time of their lives" on the lawn, where games were enjoyed. The refreshments were thoroughly enjoyed by the children. The rooms of the Morgan home were prettily decorated with roses and ferns.

Following attended: June Dunn, Bessie Rayl, Donabella Minich, Frances Hart, Arlene Hart, Vivian Hart, Ruth Kellogg, Neal Smith, of Portland; Dannie Schief, Teddy Finnucane, Teddy Craig, Harold Schief, Ivan Craig, Norman Minich, Roy Moore, Mrs. A. G. Smith, of Portland; Mrs. Dupee, of Pendleton; Mrs. Minich, Mrs. E. O. Hoppe, Mrs. C. W. Morgan, Mrs. O. A. Mueller.

SUES TO COLLECT PAYMENTS ON NOTE ALLEGED UNPAID

Anton Wenzel has instituted foreclosure proceedings against M. E. Lee and Minnie Lee, who are said to have assumed a note and a mortgage made to the plaintiff by R. E. Linn, in January, 1916. The note was \$1000, and was secured by a first mortgage on the north west one quarter of section 12 township 3 south, range 2 east. It is charged in the complaint, that the maker of the note deeded the property to the defendants in this action, and that they assumed the obligation with the property. It is claimed that no payments have been made on the note, which was due within one year from the date of making, and the court is asked for a judgment for the face of the note, and with the additional sum of \$140 attorney's fees added.

TWO SUBJECTS OF KING GEORGE ARE GIVEN CITIZENSHIP

Portland - County commissioners authorize more than three miles of hard surfacing of Foster Road, providing Leuts with splendid thoroughfare to Portland.

ONE WEDDING RECORDED

John Pelly, of Parkwood, a native of Austria, aged 24 years and Ethel M. Hartley, aged 21, of Portland, were issued a license to wed by the County Clerk yesterday, and the nuptials were performed by County Judge Anderson immediately afterward.

ELECTROCUTION IS ESCAPED BY CLOSE MARGINS

Great excitement prevailed at Twelfth and Main Street Wednesday morning when one of the large poles holding the trolley wires of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company fell on Main Street, carrying live wires with it. At the time the pole fell there were few traveling in that vicinity, and no disastrous results followed. Flames shot skyward as the pole fell, and those near the scene ran for safety, and cautioned others to retreat. The track was charged, and any one crossing it would have met electrocution.

Word was immediately sent for the company's repair crew and within a few hours the damage was repaired. While this was being done the passengers were transferred to other cars and brought to the business section. The pole has been in danger of falling for some time. It had entirely rotted, and those who have viewed it are now wondering how it stood as long as it did. That no one was hurt is a miracle.

ANCIENT TRUCK OF ICE COMPANY SEES LAST TRIP

The large delivery truck of the Oregon City Cold Storage Company, driven by Nicholas Humphrys, burned Friday afternoon. Mr. Humphrys was driving the truck to this city on the road between Parkplace and Oregon City, when he discovered the car afire. He jumped from the automobile just in time to escape an explosion of gasoline. After the explosion, Mr. Humphrys removed the car from the roadway, and it was soon a wreck. There was no water close by, and the driver was forced to watch the car burn. The truck has been in use for several years.

GIRLS GALORE IN COSY CAMP AT GLADSTONE

A camping party who will enjoy the Chautauqua during the session is composed of Miss Gladys Wanker, of Portland; Miss Ethel Thompson, of Oswego; Miss Wanda Wanker, of Hazella; Miss Elaline Christiansen, of Hazella; Miss Etta Baker, of Hazella. Deputy County Assessor Wm. Cook, whose home is at Hazella, is to be chaperone (he says). It is up to Bill to build the fires in the morning, so he has carried out the plans to save from being forced to gather in the stovewood. He has furnished an oil stove with an over supply of fuel, and has also contributed towards the culinary department a large supply of fresh vegetables from the Cook farm, which is noted for its prize-winning vegetables. Tents have been pitched in a most picturesque spot, and Bill had charge of the tent raising near the Gladstone Lake.

CLAIMS RECORD FOR FIRST RIPE TOMATO IN CITY

P. S. Finnucane, whose home is at 13th and VanBuren Street, prides himself in having the first ripe tomato in the garden of Clackamas county. The tomato is of exceptionally fine quality, large and smooth, and is from a plant that was transplanted April 29. Not knowing the name of this variety, he has given it a name himself and calls it the Finnucane Early. He has 132 plants, similar to that bearing ripe tomatoes, and expects to harvest a large number of tomatoes. The vines have not been damaged with aphid, like some of the vines of Clackamas county have but are thrifty and loaded with green tomatoes and blossoms.

PETITIONS FOR AUTHORITY OF ADMINISTRATOR

Elizabeth Soreghan yesterday filed a petition with the county court for letters of administration in the estate of Mary Hanlon, who died July 4, leaving an estate of real and personal property to the value of \$1850. The real property consists of lots on Harrison street, this city. One son, Edward Hanlon, aged 17 years, is named as sole heir, and Philip Soreghan has presented a petition to the same court for powers of guardianship over the boy's estate. The heir's consent to the proposed guardianship was included in the petition.

Had Good Intentions And Demon's Nerve But Is Dandy Clerk

J. A. Staggs, an employee of the Brady Mercantile Company, desired to operate the delivery automobile a few days ago. After the desire once entered his head, he could not resist the temptation of learning to operate the machine. He started out a few days ago, and was to be instructed by Fred E. Smith, the driver. The first thing that Staggs did was to run into a curbing. He kept right along, and the next thing that came in his view was a telephone pole. This he tried to climb with the machine. The machine bucked, and Staggs and the driver are now coming to a decision that Staggs was not cut out for an automobile driver. He has gone back to the counter, and Smith retains his position. Staggs says now "My mother did not raise me to be an automobile driver." Smith believes he is right there.

TWO OBJECT TO CLASS ONE

Under the re-classification ruling of the war department, Clackamas county secured 20 additional class one men. These were taken from class two, and reclassified under the broader terms of the recent orders. But two of this number objected, and appealed to the district board, where their cases are being considered.

LARGE ATTENDANCE AT LAST RITES FOR GEORGE W. DIMICK

Many friends of the late George W. Dimick attended the funeral services at his late home at Maple Lane Tuesday. Rev. W. T. Milliken, pastor of the Baptist church, officiated. During the services "Sweet Bye and Bye," one of the favorite selections of the deceased, and "Rock of Ages" were sung by a trio composed of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Loder and Mrs. Glenn Hankins. The remains were taken to Hubbard, where a brief service was conducted at the Hubbard cemetery, and where many old time friends of the deceased in that section of the county attended. The remains were laid to rest in the family lot.

The floral tributes were beautiful. The pallbearers were Mr. Dimick's neighbors and old time friends and were C. W. Swallow, A. J. Lewis, A. Splinter, Martin Robbins, George Brown and A. J. Hobbie. Mr. Dimick had many friends throughout Clackamas and Marion counties, especially in the latter county, where he resided since 1847, except for seven years at Maple Lane. He crossed the plains with his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Dimick. The parents took up a donation land claim upon arriving in Oregon and this was their home until their death. Mr. Dimick retained his home there until seven years ago.

Mr. Dimick, although 82 years of age, underwent a critical operation for appendicitis in December, and had greatly improved from the effects of the same until a few weeks ago his condition became critical.

WILLIAM E. MARSHALL, A FORMER RESIDENT, HAS PASSED AWAY

Word was received in the city Saturday afternoon announcing the death of William Evan Marshall, at University Park, Portland, Saturday morning. The deceased was a former resident here, and was a brother of Mrs. W. R. Wentworth, of this city.

Mr. Marshall was born in Walla Walla, in October, 1880, and came with his parents to Oregon City at the age of 7 years. Ever since that time he had resided here and at Portland. During the last years of his residence here he was employed at the Huntley Drug store and in the grocery business, the latter line being followed after moving to Portland. He is survived by his wife, and a daughter, Dorothy, four sisters, Mrs. S. L. Young, Mrs. Anna Myers, Mrs. W. L. Midam, and Mrs. W. R. Wentworth, and one brother, Ralph Marshall.

ANDREW FLAHERTY EXPIRES AFTER EXTENDED ILLNESS

Andrew Flaherty, one of the well known residents of Clackamas Highlands, near Oregon City, died at the family home Monday, after an illness of several months.

Mr. Flaherty was a native of Wisconsin. He was born December 13, 1867, and was 51 years of age. He came to Clackamas county about ten years ago, and engaged in farming. He was one of the liberal and most patriotic residents of his section, and had a host of friends in Clackamas county. Before coming to Oregon City Mr. Flaherty was a resident of Kendrick, Idaho.

Oregon Pioneer Passes Away At Home in Mulino

The remains of the late Mrs. Sarah L. Ashby, who died yesterday afternoon at her home near Mulino, were brought to the Holman undertaking parlors here last evening, where they were prepared for burial. Mrs. Ashby was a native Oregonian, 57 years of age, and was one of the best known and most active patriotic workers of the Mulino district. She had been suffering for some time from cancer, and the end was not unexpected. She is survived by her husband R. G. Ashby, and by several children. Funeral services will be held at the Lone Fir cemetery near Silverton on Friday.

BARBER GETS TITLE

L. J. Barber was given a decree in the Circuit Court Monday, wherein he was declared to be the owner in fee simple of an 80 acre tract in section 10 township 4 south, range 1 east, and adjoining the defendant in the action, Ella O. Williams, from having any interest in the said property.

SCHOOL DATE OPENING SET

The fall term of the Oregon City schools will open September 23, this date having been set Monday night by the school board. Christmas falls on Wednesday this year and the schools will be closed for the entire week. School will be resumed on the Monday following Christmas week, and will continue in session during New Years week, with New Years day as a holiday.